

MARCH

FOUR WEEK TOTALS

03/02/08 TO 03/29/08

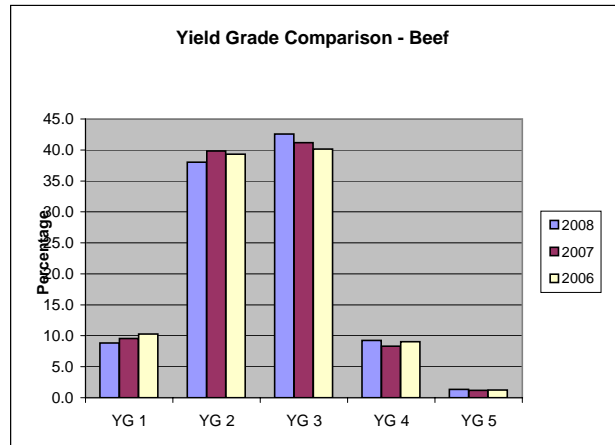
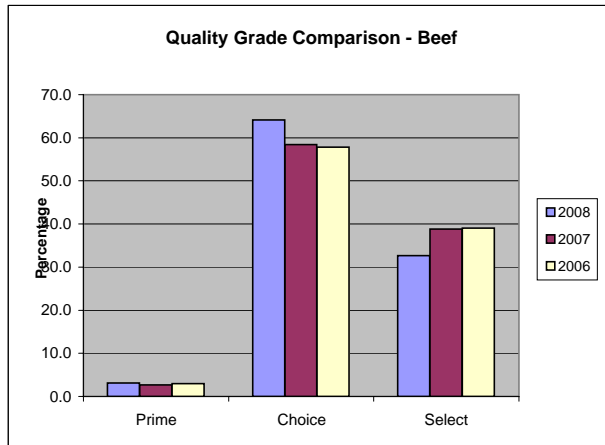
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QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED	% OF TOTAL STEER AND HEIFER OFFERED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	351	7,624	23,600	8,089	1,715	5,236	46,614	3.1	2.8
CHOICE	34,937	303,255	456,703	104,805	15,338	45,867	960,904	64.1	58.2
SELECT	79,512	230,530	135,145	20,834	2,185	20,726	488,932	32.6	29.6
STANDARD	0	8	28	6	0	180	222	0.0	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	26	106	77	11	4	224	0.0	
UTILITY	0	262	543	288	45	13	1,151	0.1	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
YIELD ONLY	16,653	24,698	17,564	3,809	620				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	131,453	566,403	633,690	137,909	19,914				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	8.8	38.0	42.5	9.3	1.3				

94.4% of Federal Inspected Steer and Heifers offered represents total Steers and Heifers Graded.

0.5% of Federal Inspected Cows offered represents total Cows graded.

80.8% of Federal Inspected Beef offered represents total Beef (Steers, Heifers, and Cows) graded.



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LAMB AND MUTTON

QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5			
PRIME	0	166	506	235	65	0	972	8.7
CHOICE	378	3,555	5,064	1,069	180	0	10,247	91.3
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	379	3,720	5,570	1,304	246			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	3.4	33.2	49.6	11.6	2.2			

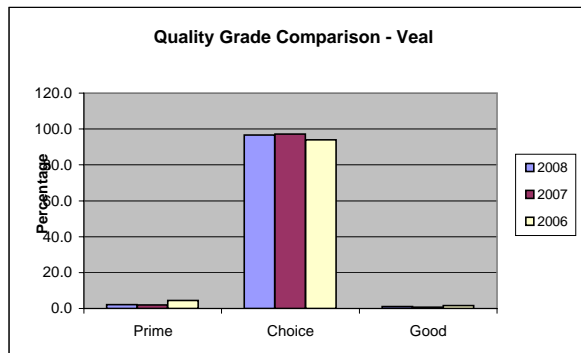
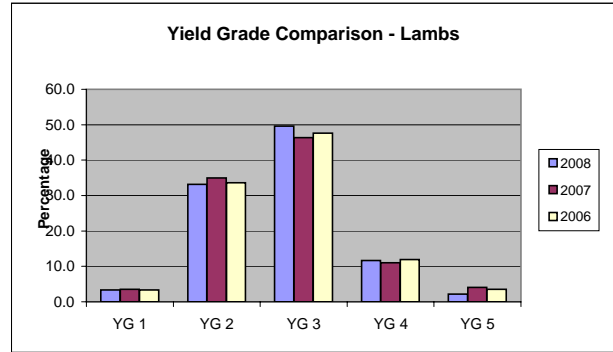
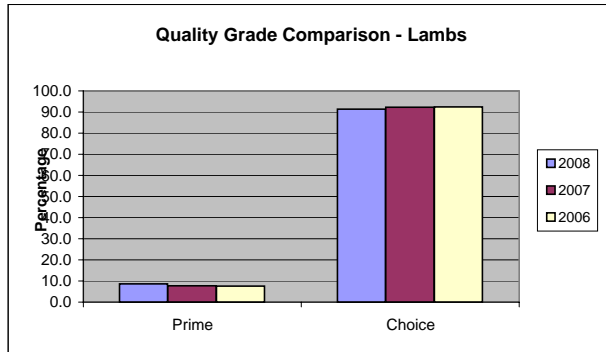
79.9% of Federal Inspected Lamb offered represents total Lambs Graded.

VEAL AND CALF

QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME	69	2.2
CHOICE	3,024	96.7
GOOD	33	1.1
STANDARD	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0.0
TOTAL	3,126	100.0

29.5% of Federal Veal  
and Calf offered represents  
total Veal and Calf graded.

TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK	0
TOTAL PORK	0



NATIONAL SUMMARY OF MEATS GRADED  
(NUMBER OF HEAD)

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	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5				
PRIME	436	9,478	29,341	10,056	2,132	6,509	57,952	3.1%	2.8
CHOICE	43,435	377,018	567,790	130,298	19,069	57,023	1,194,633	64.1%	58.2
SELECT	98,852	286,604	168,018	25,902	2,716	25,767	607,859	32.6%	29.6
STANDARD	0	10	35	7	0	224	276	0.0%	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	42	169	123	17	7	358	0.0%	
UTILITY	0	418	867	460	72	20	1,837	0.0%	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	
YIELD ONLY	20,704	30,705	21,836	4,736	771				
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	163,427	704,275	788,056	171,582	24,777				
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	8.8%	38.0%	42.5%	9.2%	1.3%				

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QUALITY GRADE	YIELD GRADE					QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5			
PRIME	4	2,348	7,179	3,329	927	0	13,787	8.6%
CHOICE	5,366	50,424	71,829	15,165	2,560	0	145,344	91.3%
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	5,370	52,772	79,008	18,494	3,487			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	3.3%	33.1%	49.6%	11.6%	2.1%			

VEAL AND CALF

QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME	435	2.2%
CHOICE	19,077	96.7%
GOOD	210	1.0%
STANDARD	0	0.0%
UTILITY	0	0.0%
TOTAL	19,722	

TOTAL BULL/BULLOCK 0  
TOTAL PORK 0

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